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Board of Assessors Meeting Minutes

DATE:

February 17, 2010

CLERK:

Paul Chute

ATTENDANCE:

BOA: P. Chute, D. Burton, participants, (Regional Resource Group INC). Harold Scheid, CEO, and Associate Assessor, Linda Couture, Town Administrator, Doug Briggs.

MINUTES:

The meeting opened at 9:10 AM. The meeting followed the agenda published earlier this week.

1. Approval of minutes:

Approval of minutes from January 27, 2010.

2. Discussion of Assessors Office Hours:

Doug Briggs and attending BOA Members with input from RRG INC. A review of different scenarios for office hours was provided. A decision will be made and this will be forwarded to the Town Administrator.

3. Approval of meeting dates:

It was decided to change the BOA Meeting time to 6:00 PM and keep the Date on the second Wednesday of each month.

4. Sign Documents as needed:

5. Move to Executive Session:

The regular meeting was closed and reopened in Executive Session to review and decide on approval or denial of each Abatement request. Forty four, (44) applicants were reviewed. Seventeen Abatements, (17) were approved and 23 abatements were denied. Four abatements need further review. The Abatement requests reviews will continue at our next BOA meeting.

6. Motion to close meeting:

A motion to close the meeting was made by P. Chute and seconded by D. Burton. The motion carried.

Meeting closed at 11:35 AM

Respectfully submitted by:

Saul E. Chute, Clerk